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Honorable Theodore H. Katz
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Re: Jose Sanchez v. Astrue
07 Civ. 9318 (DAB) (THK)

Dear Magistrate Judge Katz:

This Office represents the Commissioner of Social Security, defendant in this action. I write respectfully to advise the court of recent events and to request a nunc pro tunc extension of defendant's time to file a motion.

Pursuant to the Court's Order of May 15, 2008, defendant's motion was due on June 16, 2008. Due to an error on my part defendant's motion was not filed by that date. Accordingly, I respectfully request nunc pro tunc a seventeen-day extension of time to file defendant's brief, to July 3, 2008. I apologize for my error and any inconvenience it may have caused to the Court. This is the Government's second request for an extension of the briefing schedule. Plaintiff has kindly consented to this request.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully,

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SO ORDERED

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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